

# 6B0 Airport Committee Meeting 1/31/2015

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## Attendance

- Brian Pinsonault, Stan Bussino, Laura Jarvis, Edward Pete, Ed James

## Meeting called to order at 8:13am

Brian announced his new fulltime position with the state of Vermont and how that would affect the Middlebury airport.

- Fuel farm inspections, snow removal and up to date NOTAMs would still be a top priority.
- A new Airport Operator would be hired to fulfill the needs of 6B0
- Fly-in events would still occur on a regular bases

Posed question:

Will we still have the use of the SRE building for our fly-ins?

- The SRE will be utilized as much as possible for all future fly-ins and other aeronautical activity.

When will the new hangar be finished?

- The hangar is schedule to be in use by mid to late spring and it will be put out to bid.

Will there be any change to the fuel price?

- There have been discussions of changing the price but no actions have been made to increase or decrease the price.

Any progress to report on the Middlebury flying club?

- We did have someone who was interested in doing a leaseback with a C-172 but that person has since changed his mind.
- There is interest shown by another aircraft owner who was also a CFI.

When are they going to extend the runway?

- Avigation Easements are slated to be completed by March 2015.
- An environmental assessment will be submitted to the FAA in March 2015. The FAA will review and it is anticipated that the EA will be released to the public for comment in May.
- VTrans expects to begin design and permit of taxiway and tree clearing in April 2015;
- Apply for grant to construct taxiway and clear trees in May 2016;
- Trim/Clear selectively identified trees in January 2017;
- Start Construction of taxiway in April 2017;
- VTrans expects to design and permit the runway reconstruction with 700ft runway extension;
- Start construction of runway in April 2018.

Motion to adjourn by Edward Pete and seconded by Laura Jarvis

Submitted by Brian Pinsonault, Airport Operations Specialist